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BOX PATENT APPLICATION  
Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

December 17, 2001

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JC835 U.S.PTO  
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Re: Application of Yasuhiro SAITO, Hiroshi IKEDA, Junji KURACHI and  
Kazuishi MITANI  
PROCESS FOR PRODUCING GLASS SUBSTRATE FOR MAGNETIC RECORDING  
MEDIUM AND GLASS SUBSTRATE FOR MAGNETIC RECORDING MEDIUM  
OBTAINED BY THE SAME  
**Assignee: NIPPON SHEET GLASS CO., LTD.**  
Our Ref. Q67752

Dear Sir:

Attached hereto is the application identified above comprising twenty-two (22) sheets of the specification (Japanese language), including the claims and abstract, three (3) sheets of drawings, executed Assignment and PTO 1595 form, and executed Declaration and Power of Attorney.

The Government filing fee is calculated as follows:

Total claims	<u>11</u>	-	<u>20</u>	=	<u>      </u>	x	\$18.00	=	<u>      </u>	\$0.00	
Independent claims	<u>1</u>	-	<u>3</u>	=	<u>      </u>	x	\$84.00	=	<u>      </u>	\$0.00	
Base Fee											\$740.00

<b>TOTAL FILING FEE</b>	<b>\$740.00</b>
Recordation of Assignment	\$40.00
<b>TOTAL FEE</b>	<b>\$780.00</b>

Checks for the statutory filing fee of \$740.00 and Assignment recordation fee of \$40.00 are attached. You are also directed and authorized to charge or credit any difference or overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17 and any petitions for extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 which may be required during the entire pendency of the application to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is attached.

Priority is claimed from:

<u>Country</u>	<u>Application No</u>	<u>Filing Date</u>
Japan	P.2000-383216	December 18, 2000
Japan	P.2001-363504	November 29, 2001

The priority documents will be filed at a later date.

Respectfully submitted,  
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